

REMARKS

In the pending Office Action, the Examiner objects to the specification as failing to disclose the combination of the step of providing ... at the condition of vacuum ...". These features, which are from original claims 17-18, have been added into the specification. Please note the amendments to the specification in the last two pages. Since original claims are part of the original disclosure, the Applicants respectfully submit that they are not new matters. It is believed that this objection has been overcome.

The Applicants have attempted to address all of the issues raised by the Examiner in the Office Action as the Applicants understand them. The Applicants believe that the application is now in condition for allowance. If any point requires further explanation, the Examiner is invited to telephone Troy Cai at (323) 934-2300 or e-mail Troy Cai at tcai@ladasparry.com.


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